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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the new provisional-to-utility patent application of:

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TOWARDS INCREASED SHELF LIFE FOR COBALT(III)

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Enclosed are the following papers, including all those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR  $\S$  1.53(b):

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| Specification            | 25   |  |  |  |
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## Enclosure:

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This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e)(1) to U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/195,397, filed April 7, 2000, the contents of which is incorporated by reference in its entirety herein.

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